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The AMA-UK Weekly Round Up

Here's this week's Round Up from The Americana Music Association UK, and the latest Official UK Americana Albums Charts...



Americana News & Events:

- **"The Last Hurrah" for the Borderline** in honour of **Barry Everitt**, who promoted the Borderline for a decade back in the 90s, takes place on Friday 26th July. The line up consists of **Danny & The Champions Of The World**, **The Snakes**, **The Alan Tyler Show**, and the show be compered by **Bex Marshall-Everitt**. Head over to our news [page](#) [≥](#) for all the details and ticket links.

"The UK Americana scene owes a lot to Barry Everitt as a pioneer in bringing great bands to the Borderline throughout the 1990s and often giving UK Americana artists their first gig – he was a champion on new music and helped many music fans discover artists they still love today. Through Barry the Borderline became known as the Americana (Alt Country) venue to play at, it only felt right to host a night in his honour now we know this iconic venue is closing" - Stevie Freeman CEO AMA-UK

- **We are now accepting sponsors and guest showcase hosts** for AmericanaFest 2020 - if interested, download our sponsor packs [here >](#)

• **Blackdeer Festival** is two weeks away and we can't wait for our panel with artists **Emily Barker, Robert Vincent** and **Danni Nicholls**. Sadly **Bob Harris** won't be able to join us anymore, as he's healing from a recent illness, but you we can all wish him a speedy recovery [here >](#) . Check out the line-up and get your tickets before they sell out [here >](#)

• The [Love Fields at Glastonbury - Livewired](#) are ecstatic to announce **Rosenblume (band), Emily Barker, Anton and the Colts** and **The Orange Circus Band** will all be appearing in association with The AMA-UK at their boutique stage. With many other great acts to be announced over the coming weeks, Livewired have also now confirmed Robert Vincent, The Magic Numbers, Dave Fidler, Matt Owens and Luna Lake to the bill for what's set to be an incredible stage of live music.

• The fourth edition of **Static Roots Festival** is happening Fri. 12th - Sat. 13th July in Oberhausen, Germany. It is still the only Americana festival in Germany, and is popular with audiences overseas. The line-up includes **Ags Connolly, Orphan Colours, The Hanging Stars, Luke Tuchscherer** (and loads more) - and German magazine *Roadtracks* called it "*the most memorable festival experience of the year*". If that doesn't sell it to you, then head over to their [site >](#)

• To celebrate the release of new album *Fever Breaks*, **Josh Ritter** is heading back to the UK playing a string of dates including two nights at **London's Union Chapel** – the first of which sold out in less than a week. Catch Josh as he takes his tour to Brighton, London, Glasgow and Edinburgh this July. Ticket link for [tour >](#)

Advertisement:

A black and white photograph of Graham Nash smiling and wearing sunglasses, set against a dark background. The text on the poster is white and yellow. At the top right, it says 'EDGE ST LIVE PRESENTS'. Below that, 'Graham Nash' is written in a large, serif font. Underneath, 'An intimate evening of songs & stories' is written in a smaller, sans-serif font. To the right of the photo, there is a list of tour dates for July and August. At the bottom left, it says 'PRODUCED BY ESL, OIB AND SERIOUS BY ARRANGEMENT WITH ASGARD'. At the bottom right, there is a 'skiddle' logo with the text 'BUY TICKETS NOW' and the website 'www.grahamnash.com'.

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• **AmericanaFest UK 2020 - SAVE THE DATE!** The next AmericanaFest UK will be held in London, on the **28th, 29th and 30th January 2020**. We are proud to announce we are moving to a **bigger venue** for our **5th anniversary**. Tickets will go on sale soon for our awards show at the iconic London venue, **The Troxy**. Read our news page for all the details [here >](#)

Member Opportunities & Offers:

• If you are thinking of applying to **showcase in London 2020** at AmericanaFest UK, all

members can apply for FREE, applications open in July. If you are not a member, [join here >](#) (It's only £25 annually..)

- Login to your members area to find **Americana radio stations**. We have collated this list over the past few months from information sent to us from our members who have radio shows - great place to **discover Americana music and new artists**, and really useful for our artist members looking to broadcast **new releases**. Logged in members can see the list [here >](#)

- The English Folk Expo's **Artist Mentoring Programme applications close** this Friday 14th June. In addition to many incredible opportunities the programme has to offer, selected students also become **delegates at our AmericanaFest 2020 Conference**, which was a huge success last year. Members can read more about this [here >](#) and then [log in to the members area >](#) for the links to apply.

- **Making The Most Of Your Membership** - Go to your membership page and **update your profile** with your photo, bio and keywords like '**singer-songwriter**', '**slide guitar**', '**touring musician**'. This will help our community grow and hopefully get you more opportunities. To search the member database, simply **download the free [WILD APRICOT FOR MEMBERS](#)** app and start socialising.

Something To Watch:



Ian Noe was #21 in this week's chart. Here's '*Between The Country*' - shot entirely in Eastern Kentucky, featuring all the places he sings about in the song. Watch [here >](#)



Joana Serrat's take on **Springsteen's 'I'm On Fire'**, transformed into Catalan. Joana has some UK tour dates lined up, including a bunch of shows with **Ryan Bingham**. Watch [here >](#)



Canadian folk duo **Birds of Chicago** perform their song "*Try a Little Harder*" for **BGS-UK** at AmericanaFest UK 2019's third session episode. Watch [here >](#)



New video for **She Didn't Answer** - single from the new EP *The Grand Scheme of Things* by Mark Shepherd. Watch [here >](#)

UK Americana Album Official Chart

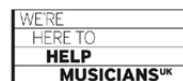
7th June 2019:



The new top entry in this week's UK Americana Album Chart is **Ian Noe's 'Between The Country'** at #21 out on **National Treasury Recordings**. Jade Bird regains the #1 spot, with Big Thief following close behind at #2...

Read full chart listing [here >](#)

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